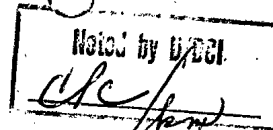


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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

AGENDA

For the Meeting to be held in the
Cabinet Room of The White House
on Thursday, April 7, 1960,
from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

The Secretary of Commerce and the Chairman, Council on Foreign Economic Policy,
are being invited to participate in the action on Item 1 below.

ITEM FOR CONSIDERATION

ITEM 1 -- U. S. POLICY TOWARD WEST AFRICA

(NSC 5818; NIE 70-59; NSC 6001; NSC 6005; Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, same subject, dated March 15, 1960; Memo For All Holders of NSC 6005, dated March 22, 1960; NSC Action No. 2199; Memo For All Holders of NSC 6005, dated March 30, 1960)

For consideration of the statement of policy contained in NSC 6005, as amended by the enclosures to the reference memorandum of March 22 and 30, 1960; in the light of the views of the Joint Chiefs of Staff transmitted by the reference memorandum of March 15, 1960.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

ITEM 2 -- NATO DEFENSE MINISTERS MEETING

For discussion in the light of an oral report by the Secretary of Defense.

ITEM 3 -- SIGNIFICANT WORLD DEVELOPMENTS AFFECTING U. S. SECURITY

For discussion in the light of an oral briefing on the subject by the Director of Central Intelligence.

ITEM 4 -- U. S. POLICY TOWARD CUBA

(NSC Action No. 2166-b-(1); NSC 5902/1; NSC Actions Nos. 2177, 2191, 2195, 2201 and 2205)

For discussion of developments with regard to the situation in Cuba.

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ADDITIONAL ITEM FOR CONSIDERATION

ITEM 5 -- U. S. POLICY ON FRANCE

(NSC 5910/1; NSC Action No. 2158; Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, same subject, dated April 4, 1960)

For consideration of the amendment to paragraph 48 of NSC 5910/1, prepared by the NSC Planning Board and transmitted by the reference memorandum of April 4, 1960.

ADDITIONAL ITEM FOR DISCUSSION

ITEM 6 -- U. S. POLICY TOWARD IRAN

(NSC 5821/1; OCB Report on NSC 5821/1, dated December 11, 1959; NSC Action No. 2170-b; Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, same subject, dated March 16, 1960)

For discussion of an oral report by the Special Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs on the views of the NSC Planning Board regarding the need for review of U. S. Policy Toward Iran (NSC 5821/1), in the light of the enclosures to the reference memorandum of March 16, 1960.